

this evening, in the Hall of the House of Delegates, to meet the Commissioners of Fisheries of the State of New York, who will there, by invitation of the General Assembly, lecture upon the subject of culture and preservation of fish.

By order,

MILTON Y. KIDD,  
Chief Clerk,

On motion by Mr. Kimmel,

Leave of absence was granted to the Senator from Washington county until Monday next.

Mr. Kimmel submitted the following message :

BY THE SENATE,  
March 16, 1870.

*Gentlemen of the House of Delegates;*

We have received your message proposing a Joint Assembly of the two Houses at eight o'clock this evening, to meet the Commissioners of Fisheries of the State of New York, who will there, by invitation of the General Assembly, lecture upon the subject of the culture and preservation of Fish, and concur therein.

By order,

AUGUSTUS GASSAWAY,  
Secretary.

Mr. Fields moved that the Senate proceed to the consideration of an Act to repeal the Acts of 1867 and 1868, relating to Pensions.

Mr. Fields withdrew his motion.

On motion by Mr. Miller,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Judicial Proceedings to introduce a bill relating to the sale of burning fluids in this State.

On motion by Mr. Timmons, it was

Ordered, That the Finance Committee be directed to report (if they deem it expedient,) a bill to raise a sum of money by tax, or some other mode, to supply the deficiency which will be created in the Treasury of Maryland by the non-payment of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company the money due the State, as ascertained to be due by the returns of the President of said road to the Comptroller for 1870 and 1871.

On motion by Mr. Kimmel,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the amendment to the charter of the Union Railroad Company.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

Mr. Malone moved that said bill be postponed until Monday.